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37 CFR 1.322 & 37 CFR 1.323 REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
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SIR:

The following is a request for a certificate of correction in Serial Number 09/475,190, now Patent Number 7,103,124.

A certificate of correction under 35 USC 254 is respectfully requested in the above-identified patent.

The errors were the fault of both the applicant and USPTO and, accordingly, please charge \$100.00 to our Deposit Account No. 50-1379. In the event that a further fee is required, please charge the amount to the same Deposit Account.

The exact locations where the errors appear in the patent and patent application are as follows:

In Column 8, Lines 28-29, in Equation "2", delete " $X_k=F_k X_{k-1} G_k + V$ " and insert -- $X_k=F_k X_{k-1} G_k + V_k$ --, therefor.

(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 14, EQUATION 2)

In Column 9, Line 67, in Equation "10", delete " ϵ_k " and insert -- ϵ_k --, therefor.
(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 17, EQUATION 10)

In Column 10, Line 3, delete " ϵ_k " and insert -- ϵ_k --, therefor.
(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 17, LINE 17)

In Column 10, Line 18, in Equation "13", delete " $\hat{x}_{k+1}=F_k \hat{x}_k + G_k + K_k \epsilon_k$ " and
insert -- $\hat{x}_{k+1} = F_k \hat{x}_k + G_k + K_k \epsilon_k$ --, therefor.

(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 18, EQUATION 13)

In Column 16, Lines 55-58, delete " $\left(1 - \frac{p v_{j,l} + (1-p)v_{l,l}}{\mu_{l,l}^2}\right)$ " and insert --
 $\left(1 - \frac{p v_{j,l} + (1-p)v_{l,l}}{\mu_{l,l}^2}\right)$ --, therefor.

(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 30, LINE 15)

In Column 18, Line 42, in Equation "32",
delete " $y_{1,i}-\tau_{i,t}-O_i-\Delta_{i,1}$ " and
insert -- $y_{1,i}-\tau_{i,t}-O_i-\Delta_{i,1}$ --, therefor.
(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 33, EQUATION 32)

In Column 19, Line 55, delete " ϵ_n " and insert -- ϵ_n --, therefor.
(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 35, LINE 9)

In Column 20, Line 59, delete "x," and insert -- x_1 --, therefor.
(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 37, LINE 20)

In Column 24, Line 25, in Equation "46", delete " $Abs(\epsilon_{1,k}) < k_{13} * (\sqrt{Var(\epsilon_{1,k}))})$ "
and insert -- $Abs(\epsilon_{1,k}) < k_{13} * (\sqrt{Var(\epsilon_{1,k}))})$ --, therefor
(ORIGINALLY FILED SPECIFICATION DATED DECEMBER 30, 1999,
PAGE 44, EQUATION 46)

In Column 32, Line 52, in Claim 50, delete "me" and insert - - the - -, therefor.
(AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS DATED AUGUST 19, 2005, PAGE 12 OF
16, CLAIM 52, LINE 7)

The requested corrections are attached on Form PTO 1050.

Respectfully Submitted

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